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Applicants: Hay, et al. Art Unit: 1652  
Application No.: 09/270,983 Examiner: R. Hutson  
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Title: METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING PROTEASES, PROTEASE TARGET  
SITES AND REGULATORS OF PROTEASE ACTIVITY IN LIVING  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2001, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

**In the Claims**

Please cancel without prejudice claims 10 to 56.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, <b>October 3, 2001</b> , in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.	
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